GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY
LOK SABHA

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IMPORT OF IRON SCRAP
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Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has recently permitted more container Depots for import of Iron Scrap;

(b) if so, the details in this regard;

(c) whether the Government has made all necessary arrangements before permitting more ICDs for import of Iron Scrap to check live cells coming into the country in the shape of scrap; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRI E.V.K.S. ELANGOVAN)

(a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The new ICDs which have been included for import of scrap are ICD Ludhiana, ICD Dadri, Greater Noida and ICD Nagpur.

(c)& (d) An Inter-Ministerial Committee examines the feasibility of designating an ICD as a port for import of metal scrap only on the basis of inputs from the concerned Agencies and Departments.